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For: **ON-LINE DATA COMPRESSION ANALYSIS AND REGULATION**

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2. 6 sheets of **FORMAL** drawings;
3. A Declaration and Power of Attorney;
4. Recordation Form Cover Sheet, and an Assignment of the invention to **INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS MACHINES CORPORATION**; and
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